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MRS. JOHN CLELON DEERE
... On Wedding Day



MISS MARGARET ANN SMITH
... Bride of the Future



MISS MARILYN BRANNAN
... Engagement Disclosed

Marlene Schildmeyer Becomes Mrs. J. Deere In Beautiful Mid-summer Church Ceremony

In a beautiful mid-summer wedding ceremony at the First Christian Church last Sunday afternoon, July 22, at 2:30 Marlene Ruth Schildmeyer exchanged her marriage promises with John Clelon Deere. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Schildmeyer, 1938 W. 262nd St., Lomita, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Joe Kubishta of Gardena and Audie Deere of Alaska.

Standing before the altar flanked by four floor baskets filled with white and pink gladioli and two candelabra standards was the Rev. Freeman Brunson of the Torrance Nazarene Church who officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Lighting candles before the ceremony were Miss Carol Wagner, cousin of the bride, and Miss Donna Wilkins, both wearing pink, polished cotton gowns accented with lace.

Mr. Schildmeyer escorted his daughter to the altar between center aisle pews marked with white satin ribbon bows with pink and white gladioli and fern.

The bride was exquisitely gowned in tulle, satin and Chantilly lace fashioned along Empire lines detailed with a scoop neckline, long tapered sleeves and cathedral train. Lace and seed pearls held the illusion veil and she carried a white Bible decorated with a white orchid and cascading lilies of the valley and white phalaenopsis. The Bible was a gift from her late grandmother.

Walking to the altar before the bride and her father were her attendants who were gowned alike in velvet printed white crystallite over pastel pink. Their bouffant, waltz length gowns were accented

with large taffeta bows from which streamers extended the full length of the skirts. Each carried cascade bouquets of American Beauty roses, lily of the valley and fern.

Bridal attendants were Diane Schildmeyer, as maid of honor, and Maxine Schildmeyer, bridesmaid, both sisters of the bride; Barbara Cracknell, childhood friend, and Shirley Deere, sister of the bridegroom.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was Robert Wakefield and seating guests were Charles Schildmeyer, Jim Pope, Jerry Manker, Gene Wishna and John Knox.

Margie Wilkey at the organ played a program of bridal music and honored the bride's mother by playing the song "Mother" when she entered the church. She accompanied Don Ogren, who sang "Walk Hand in Hand." "We Are the Lord's" and, while the bride couple knelt, "The Lord's Prayer."

A reception followed for 330 guests in the social hall at the church. Serving and taking charge of wedding gifts were sorority sisters of the bride, Misses Donna Wolf, Barbara Gay, Tita Kelley, Alice Misses Vivian Flaxman, Beth Schlenker, and Don Ann Long. Mrs. Lois Schildmeyer was in charge of the guest register.

Pre-Nuptial Party Whirl Compliments Sally Sprout

Exciting have been the days of the summer of 1956 for Sally Ann Sprout, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sprout, as she spins in a whirl of pre-nuptial parties amid plans for her wedding to Clayton Mallard. The date is Sunday, Aug. 6, and the place, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Beginning the party series was a surprise shower given by Sally's two roommates at Whittier College, Carol Leach and Lois O'Rahiro, at the S. T. Ziler home in Downey.

Mrs. Sprout, mother of the bride-elect, poured tea and coffee at the refreshment table centered with a floral piece and tied with a satin bow with the names of the couple in gold.

College friends bringing gifts were Donna Searing, Marion Schwander, Jean Hulbert, Helga Preschel, Janet Ziles, Mary Sue Easley, Alice Priggs, Harriett Fuller, Ann Knolmar, Marge Rany, Lois O'Rahiro, Carol Leach, Margaret Fuchs, and Peggy Sprout.

Also present were Mrs. Sprout and Mrs. S. T. Ziler. Sending gifts, but unable to attend, were Pam Peck, Maxine Andrea, Sharon Rosson, Pat Titus and Carol Bennett.

White organdy bags of rice tied with pink ribbons were presented to the guests attending the shower given by Mrs. H. C. St. Martin and her daughter, Mrs. Charlene Bezanon, at the St. Martin home.

Bidden to this party were Misses Baker Olivera, Sid Starud, Fern Rudolph, R. C. Mallard, J. H. Sprout, Maggie Savage, R. E. Sprout and Misses Michelle Silver, Sylvia Reed, Claire Bentwood, Suzie Beck, Baba O'Hanlon, Adele Curtis, and

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Margaret Smith-Maurice Reed Set August '57 Wedding Date

The engagement and wedding plans of the future of their daughter, Margaret Ann, are being announced today by Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Smith, 1517 219th St.

Margaret is engaged to Maurice Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Reed, 457 E. 213th St.

Their wedding will be solemnized Aug. 18, 1957 at the United Brethren Church.

The bride-elect will be a senior at Narbonne High School this fall.

The future bridegroom attended Banning High and is now attending at North American Aviation.

MISSOURI GUESTS

Leaving for their homes in Rockport, Mo. after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boswell were Mrs. A. J. Taylor and son, James Stover Taylor and Miss Ann Taylor.

AT ARROWHEAD

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clinkscale, 1451 El Prado, spent the first three days of this week at Lake Arrowhead.

SALLY MOORE IS HONORED

Miss Sally Moore, student at the University of California, Santa Barbara, was recently notified that she had been accepted into Spurs, campus organization. Scholarship and campus activities are judged for membership. Miss Moore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore, 824 Beech Ave.

June Rambo, Bride-elect, Is Honored

The home of Mrs. Jack B. Rambo, 1645 W. 223rd St., was the scene of a lovely personal shower recently complimenting Miss June Rambo whose marriage to Joseph Kasko Jr. will be solemnized Aug. 18 at the First Methodist Church.

Centering the table was a large pink and white sheet cake bearing the names of the couple and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom.

Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Leona Bennett and Miss Betty Harrington.

After the bride-elect opened her gifts, refreshments were served.

Party guests were Mmes. Joseph Kasko, Sr., H. Cannon, Emma Stimach, J. B. Stiles, Ethel Long, Leona Bennett, Pete Wilcoxson, Dephne Peterson, Ethel Houdasheidt, Carol Johnson, Nadine Blackburn, Connie Belles, Phyllis Belles, Jills W. Rambo, Max Smart, Ellen Acton, Arlene Rambo and Misses Claire Demonet, Beverly Harrington, Andrea Stiles and Janie Moffatt.

Garden Party

Mrs. Grover Whyte entertained her bridge club at a garden luncheon last Friday afternoon at her home, 1620 Post Ave.

Arrangements of pansies decorated the luncheon tables on the patio. Bridge was played during the afternoon and first prize went to Mrs. C. T. Rippey and second to Mrs. Henry Ulbricht.

Mrs. Whyte's other guests were Mmes. J. S. Lancaster, Joel Klink, Carl Warner, Wallace Post and Robert Sleeth.

Dinner Hosts

Dr. and Mrs. Richard F. Bishop entertained at dinner at their home, 1433 El Prado, on Saturday evening, celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. Bishop's sister, Mrs. George Collette of Glendale and Mrs. Rosario Niosi of Los Angeles.

Dr. and Mrs. Bishop's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Collinsworth of Torrance, Mr. and Mrs. Collette of Glendale and Mr. and Mrs. Niosi of Los Angeles.

Marilyn Brannan Plans April Wedding to William Thorson

Romantic news being made public this week is the engagement of Miss Marilyn Brannan and William Ralph Thorson who are planning an April wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Brannan of 1707 W. 265th St., Harbor City and the benedict is the son of Mrs. Selma Richardson of Tacoma, Wash.

Miss Brannan, who is well known in Baptist church groups, is president of the Southern California Fellowship Guild and was a 1954 graduate of Narbonne High School. While attending Narbonne, she was active in GAA and Letter Girls.

Her fiance received his education in Washington schools.

Cmdr., Mrs. Epps of Hawaii Announce Daughter's Troth

Romantic news from Hawaii, of special interest here since it concerns a second generation Torrance family, comes from Commander and Mrs. Robert W. Epps of Pearl Harbor who are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Loella Josephine.

Miss Epps is engaged to Preston E. Lashbrook Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston E. Lashbrook Sr. of Richmond, Calif.

The future bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Elder, 2325 Carson St., Torrance, and Mrs. Olga Epps of Kingstree, S. C.

She made her home here for two years with her grandparents and attended and was graduated from Nativity school. She attended Torrance High school for a short time before going to Hawaii with her parents. This June, she was graduated from the Roosevelt High school in Honolulu. Mrs. Robert Epps, mother of the bride-elect, is the former Sara Elder and is a Torrance High school graduate.

Mr. Lashbrook is serving with the United States Navy and is stationed in Pearl Harbor.

No date has been released for the wedding.

Halloran Patio Setting for Club's 'Summertime' Party

The good ole summertime, when the usual high pitch of social life reaches a new low ebb due to the warm, warm weather, has only served to spur the enthusiasm of the Los Fiestadores Dance Club and next Saturday evening this group will wend its way to the lovely patio and gardens

at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Philip Halloran, 1010 Beech Ave., for a "summertime" dance.

The new board, recently elected, will serve as hosts for the affair. They are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boswell, presidents; Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Grubbs, vice presidents; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Clausing, secretaries; Mr. and Mrs. George H. Pearson, treasurers, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. St. Martin, membership chairmen.

There will be a buffet supper and dancing will follow. Several exchange dances have been planned.

The new board met Monday evening at the Boswell home when the program for the coming year was planned. After the business meeting refreshments were served.

The present committee succeeds last year's board which was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hamilton, presidents; Dr. and Mrs. Philip Halloran, vice presidents; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clayton, secretaries; Mr.

and Mrs. W. E. Christiansen, treasurers, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Dexter, membership chairmen.

SIX BROTHERS AND SISTERS TOGETHER

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Neely of Pinckneyville, Ill., left 1 a day week for their home after a 10 day visit here with relatives. They were the guests of Mr. Neely's sister, Mrs. Ray Richard, and husband, of 1808 Beech Ave., and other brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neely of Palos Verdes, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Quigley, and Mrs. Mabel Brasswell.

During the ex-terners' visit, the six brothers and sisters enjoyed family reunions, dinners and trips to places of interest in the vicinity.

ATTEND PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Foley, 1650 West 204th St., attended a dinner and party Saturday evening of the adults of the Foley family at the Griffith estate near Glendale.



ON A MID-SUMMER NIGHT ... the new board of the Los Fiestadores Dance Club will entertain the club at a buffet supper and dance at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Philip Halloran, 1010 Beech, Saturday evening. The new board members, who outlined their year's program at a

meeting Monday evening are (from left, front row) Mrs. W. C. Boswell, Mrs. Homer St. Martin, Mrs. W. O. Clausing, Mrs. W. E. Grubbs, and Mrs. George Pearson. Front row, from left: W. C. Boswell, Dr. W. E. Grubbs, W. O. Clausing, Homer St. Martin and George Pearson.